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Title: DETECTION OF CLONAL T-CELL RECEPTOR-y GENE REARRANGEMENT BY PCR/TEMPORAL TEMPERATURE GRADIENT GEL ELECTROPHORESIS (TTGE)

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Sir:

This communication is responsive to the Final Office Action dated June 25, 2003, concerning the above-referenced patent application.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this document.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this document.

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Please amend the application as follows: